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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Tang et al.

Confirmation No: 4207

Serial No.: 10/627,124

Group Art Unit: 1645

Filed: July 25, 2003

Examiner: Graser, J.E.

For: Methods For Producing Biological Substances In Pigment-Deficient Mutants Of Bacillus Cells

AMENDMENT FEE TRANSMITTAL

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment for the above-identified application in response to the Office Action mailed **February 22, 2007**.

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action be extended for a period of **3 months** from **May 22, 2007** to **August 22, 2007**. The required fee for the extension is estimated to be **\$1020.00**.

The fee for claims has been calculated as shown below:

Total: $39 - 36 = 3 \times 18 = \54.00

Independent: $3 - 3 = 0 \times 86 = \$0$

Total additional fee for claims required is **\$54.00**.

Please charge the required extension and claims fees, estimated to be **\$1074.00**, to Novozymes North America, Inc., Deposit Account No. 50-1701. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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Date: August 22, 2007

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